

In the Claims

The status of claims in the case is as follows:

- 1 1. [Currently amended] A method for displaying in a
2 computer user interface information to a browser user,
3 comprising the steps of:
- 4 displaying in said interface a window frame including a
5 window frame border including having a plurality of
6 sides, each said side selectable for presentation of
7 textual and graphical data, said textual and graphical
8 data selectively displaying to said user information
9 identifying said window frame border as a window frame
10 border which can be positioned, sized, and opened by
11 said user selectively clicking on and dragging said
12 window frame border; and
- 13 selectively incorporating textual and graphical data
14 within any of said sides of said window frame border
15 selectively identifying which of adjacent window frames
16 responds to user selection of said window frame border
17 selectively to open and close said window frame.

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1 2. [Currently amended] The method of claim 1, said
2 textual and graphical data displaying to said user at said
3 browser information with respect to the content of said
4 window frame border, and said window frame border containing
5 a graphic which, when present, indicates the direction in
6 which said window frame will open/close when activated; said
7 window frame border existing within area occupied by content
8 of said window frame.

1 3. [Canceled]

1 4. [Currently amended] The method of claim 2, said data
2 providing a hotspot for selection by said user to open said
3 window frame.

1 5. [Currently amended] The method of claim 4, said
2 hotspot further being selectable by said user to launch an
3 application within said window frame.

1 6. [Currently amended] The method of claim 3, further
2 comprising the step responsive to said user selectively
3 clicking on textual and graphic data in any side of said
4 window frame border of bringing said window frame to the

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5 forefront.

1 7. [Currently amended] The method of claim 1, further
2 comprising the step of:

3 providing to a user at design time a window frame
4 properties information box for user definition of frame
5 content in any side of a window frame having a
6 plurality of sides.

1 8. [Currently amended] The method of claim 7, further
2 comprising the step of:

3 providing in said window frame properties information
4 box for user selection of caption formula and
5 selectively of text, show parameters, caption
6 alignment, justification, font, size, style, text color
7 and background color for display in any side of said
8 window frame border.

1 9. [Original] The method of claim 8, further comprising
2 the step of:

3 responsive to user selection of Notes only border

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4 captions, displaying to said user a caption edit box
5 for entry of caption text.

1 10. [Currently amended] The method of claim 1, further
2 comprising the step of:

3 responsive to creation of a web enabled window frame
4 border, disabling border captioning.

1 11. [Currently amended] System for displaying information
2 to a user at a computer user interface, comprising:

3 a window frame border in a browser display at said
4 computer user interface for indicating the presence of
5 a window frame with content; said window frame
6 including a plurality of sides, each said side
7 selectable for presentation of textual and graphical
8 data, said textual and graphical data selectively
9 displaying to said user information identifying said
10 window border as a window frame border which can be
11 positioned, sized, and opened by said user selectively
12 clicking on and dragging said window frame border; and
13 textual and graphical data selectively presented within

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14 any side of said window frame border; said textual and
15 graphical data selectively identifying which of
16 adjacent window frames responds to user selection of
17 said window frame border selectively to open and close
18 said window frame.

1 12. [Currently amended] The system of claim 11, said
2 textual and graphical data displaying to said user
3 information with respect to the content of said window frame
4 border, and said window frame border containing a graphic
5 which, when present, indicates the direction in which said
6 window frame will open/close when activated; said window
7 frame border existing within area occupied by content of
8 said window frame.

1 13. [Currently amended] The system of claim 11, said
2 textual and graphical data displaying to said user
3 information identifying said window frame border as a window
4 frame border which can be positioned, sized, and opened by
5 said user clicking on said window frame border.

1 14. [Currently amended] The system of claim 12, said data
2 providing a hotspot for selection by said user to open said
3 window frame.

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1 15. [Currently amended] The system of claim 14, said
2 hotspot further being selectable by said user to launch an
3 application within said window frame.

1 16. [Currently amended] The system of claim 13, said
2 hotspot being responsive to said user clicking on said
3 window frame border of bringing said window frame to the
4 forefront.

1 17. [Original] The system of claim 11, further comprising:
2 a frame properties information box for user definition
3 of frame content at frame design.

1 18. [Original] The system of claim 17, further comprising:
2 said frame properties information box further providing
3 for user selection of caption formula, show parameters,
4 caption alignment, justification, font, size, style,
5 text color and background color.

1 19. [Original] The system of claim 18, further comprising:

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2 responsive to user selection of Notes only border
3 captions, a caption edit box for entry of caption text.

1 20. [Currently amended] The system of claim 11, further
2 comprising:

3 control responsive to creation of a web enabled window
4 frame border for disabling border captioning.

1 21. [Currently amended] A program storage device readable
2 by a machine, tangibly embodying a program of instructions
3 executable by a machine to perform method steps for
4 displaying information to a user at an user interface of a
5 computer, said method steps comprising:

6 displaying in said user interface a window frame border
7 including a plurality of sides, each said side
8 selectable for presentation of textual and graphical
9 data, said textual and graphical data selectively
10 displaying to said user information identifying said
11 window frame border as a window frame border which can
12 be positioned, sized, and opened by said user
13 selectively clicking on and dragging said window frame
14 border; and

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15 selectively incorporating textual and graphical data
16 within any said side of said window frame border.

1 22. [Currently amended] The program storage device of
2 claim 21, said textual and graphical data displaying to said
3 user information with respect to the content of said window
4 frame border selectively including identifying which of
5 adjacent frames responds to user selection of said window
6 frame border selectively to open and close said window
7 frame, and said window frame border containing a graphic
8 which, when present, indicates the direction in which said
9 window frame will open/close when activated; said window
10 frame border existing within area occupied by content of
11 said window frame.

1 23. [Currently amended] The program storage device of
2 claim 21, said textual and graphical data displaying to said
3 user in any side of said window frame border information
4 identifying said window frame border as a window frame
5 border which can be positioned, sized, and opened by said
6 user clicking on said window frame border.

1 24. [Currently amended] The program storage device of
2 claim 22, said data providing a hotspot for selection by

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3 said user to open said window frame.

1 25. [Currently amended] The program storage device of
2 claim 24, said hotspot further being selectable by said user
3 to launch an application within said window frame.

1 26. [Currently amended] The program storage device of
2 claim 23, said method steps further comprising the step
3 responsive to said user clicking on said window frame border
4 of bringing said window frame to the forefront.

1 27. [Currently amended] The program storage device of
2 claim 21, said method steps further comprising the step of:

3 providing to a user at design time a frame properties
4 information box for user definition of frame content of
5 each side of said window frame border.

1 28. [Currently amended] The program storage device of
2 claim 27, said method steps further comprising the step of:

3 providing in said frame properties information box for
4 user selection of caption formula, show parameters,
5 caption alignment, justification, font, size, style,

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6 text color and background color selectively and
7 independently for each side of said window frame.

1 29. [Original] The program storage device of claim 28,
2 said method steps further comprising the step of:

3 responsive to user selection of Notes only border
4 captions, displaying to said user a caption edit box
5 for entry of caption text.

1 30. [Original] The program storage device of claim 21,
2 said method steps further comprising the step of:

3 responsive to creation of a web enabled frame border,
4 disabling border captioning.

1 31. [Currently amended] A computer program product for
2 displaying information to a user, comprising:

3 a computer readable medium;

4 first program instructions for displaying a window
5 frame border including a plurality of sides, each said
6 side selectable for presentation of textual and

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7 graphical data, said textual and graphical data
8 selectively displaying to said user information
9 identifying said window frame border as a window frame
10 border which can be positioned, sized, and opened by
11 said user selectively clicking on and dragging said
12 window frame border; and

13 second program instructions for selectively
14 incorporating textual and graphical data within a
15 plurality of sides of said window frame border; and
16 wherein

17 said first and second program instructions are recorded
on said medium.

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